

# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

**WADE HAMPTON HIGH**  
**Hampton 1**  
**Grades: 9-12** **Enrollment: 723**  
**Principal: Greg Ackerman**  
**Superintendent: Douglas E. McTeer, Jr.**  
**Board Chair: Mrs. Libby Murdaugh**

## PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		AYP STATUS	NCLB IMPROVEMENT STATUS
			General Performance	Closing the Gap		
2011	Average	Below Average	TBD	TBD	Not Met	N/A
2010	Average	At-Risk	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2009	Below Average	Below Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A

## ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
7	6	25	0	2

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/09/2011. Schools with Students Like Ours are High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

## HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2010	2011	2010	2011
Passed 2 subtests (%)	67.7%	75.7%	76.2%	72.7%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	11.8%	14.7%	12.6%	16.7%
Passed no subtests (%)	20.5%	9.6%	12.3%	11.3%

## HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2011

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Passage Rate	89.3%	89.7%

## ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE

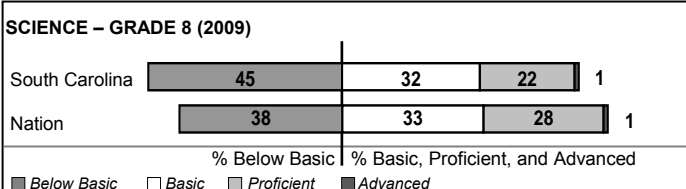
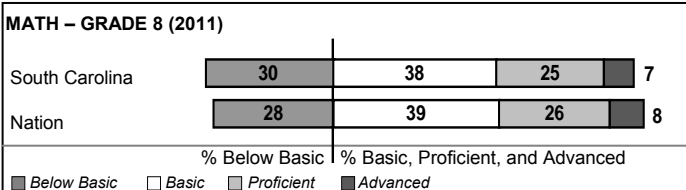
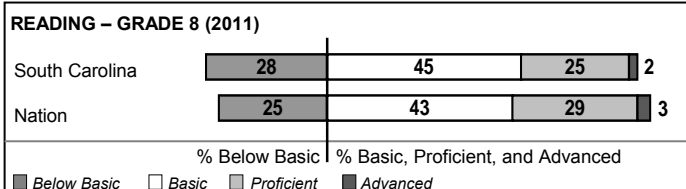
	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Number of students	201	237
Number of Diplomas	149	160
Rate (%)	74.1%	72.3%

## END OF COURSE TESTS - 2011

% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	62.7	73.6
English 1	47.3	58.9
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	53.4	61.4
Physical Science	41.1	50.3
US History and the Constitution	25.5	39.3
All Tests	45.2	55.9

## NAEP PERFORMANCE\*

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



## SC PERFORMANCE VISION

*By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.*

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## SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
<b>Students (n=723)</b>				
Retention rate	8.3%	Down from 10.6%	3.7%	3.4%
Attendance rate	95.0%	Up from 93.2%	95.3%	95.0%
Served by gifted and talented program	9.4%	Up from 0.9%	12.0%	12.4%
With disabilities other than speech	5.2%	Down from 6.9%	10.2%	9.9%
Older than usual for grade	10.2%	Down from 11.5%	8.4%	7.1%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	0.6%	0.9%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	6.9%	Down from 18.5%	8.0%	13.0%
Successful on AP/IB exams	N/A	N/A	47.1%	51.7%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	29.9%	Down from 40.0%	29.6%	30.1%
Annual dropout rate	2.5%	Down from 5.5%	2.9%	2.5%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	5.2%	Up from 0.5%	3.0%	2.9%
Enrollment in career/technology courses	6	Down from 552	304	419
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	83.3%	Up from 72.7%	83.0%	83.0%
<b>Teachers (n=46)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	50.0%	Up from 46.3%	60.9%	61.1%
Continuing contract teachers	78.3%	Down from 81.5%	80.4%	80.6%
Teachers returning from previous year	85.0%	Up from 79.2%	86.1%	86.5%
Teacher attendance rate	94.3%	Up from 93.0%	95.6%	95.5%
Average teacher salary*	\$40,945	Down 3.0%	\$46,880	\$46,884
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	6.2%	Down from 9.8%	2.2%	2.2%
Professional development days/teacher	7.5 days	Up from 7.0 days	10.6 days	10.0 days
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	7.0	Up from 6.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	25.3 to 1	Down from 26.8 to 1	25.7 to 1	26.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	87.5%	Up from 84.6%	89.6%	89.3%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$7,944	Up 33.3%	\$7,953	\$7,804
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	50.5%	Down from 55.5%	57.8%	58.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	52.4%	Down from 61.3%	61.5%	60.6%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	Down from Excellent	Good	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	89.4%	Down from 94.4%	98.0%	97.3%
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Good	Good
% of AYP objectives met	76.5%	Up from 47.1%	58.4%	65.2%

\* Length of contract = 185+ days.

\*\* Prior year audited financial data available.

## EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	15	152	69
Percent satisfied with learning environment	80.0%	57.3%	76.1%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	66.7%	70.9%	69.7%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	42.9%	77.4%	70.6%

\*Only students at the highest high school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Wade Hampton High School students have been experiencing another incredible year in 2011. Success in academics, fine arts, athletics, and other extra curricular activities have helped students to gain confidence in themselves and to take pride in their accomplishments.

Wade Hampton High School continues to provide educational opportunities to all students. The graduates of 2011 received over one and half million dollars in college scholarships. In addition, 20% of our students were eligible for Life Scholarship. Two of our students were named Palmetto Fellows, and a number of students were recognized in national competitions.

The Marching Red Guardsmen band once again placed first in a number of state competitions and will once again be aiming to compete in the Lower State Competition.

NJROTC received the distinguished unit achievement award for the fifth year in a row. The rifle, academic, orienteering and drill team competed and placed in several competitions this past year.

Wade Hampton High School has a number of opportunities for students interested in technology or a career in the health occupation field. The DevilBots robotics team, as well as the Health Science nursing students took part in several different competitions.

Our Red Devil football team had another good season, finishing second in the region and going all the way to the second round of the playoffs. The boys cross country team competed in the state meet.

The Red Devil Basketball team won the region 5AA championship and made it through to the third round of the playoffs. The girls track team also won the region championship, while the boys track team just missed first place by a few points in the region. There were several track athletes that competed in the state championships. Our Red Devil baseball team was competitive in every game and made it to the district finals.

This was another successful year for Jobs for South Carolina Graduates, a program designed to help high risk students in danger of failing high school. The JAG students came in first in several competitions at the state conference and a number of students went to Washington, D.C. for the national conference.

2011 was the year Wade Hampton High School was awarded a record number of grants. Wade Hampton became the first high school in SC with a certified Teen FAST (Families And Schools Together) program. With this 21st Century Grant, we can offer after school tutoring at Wade Hampton. The Raise the Bar program allowed students to get the extra help they needed before and after school. Raise the Bar offered extra-curricular activities, like Gospel Choir, Step Team, Drama, Journalism, and computer classes for students.

Wade Hampton High School also received a 10 netbook mobile lab, 12 new desktops, and \$36,000 through the Improving Literacy Through School Libraries Grant. This grant will enable the high school teachers to continue teaching literacy across the curriculum in all courses.

The Star Academy is beginning its second year. This program allows students to get ahead of their classmates using creative scheduling and the newest innovations with assisted computer instruction. Trained instructors use the latest cooperative learning techniques, as well as some

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